Mr. J. APPAJI GOWDA.—That is the total number.

Mr. T. M. KHAN.—But how many are given scholarships purely out of the grant from Government?

Mr. J. APPAJI GOWDA.—The question was about the total number of scholarships awarded.

Mr. K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—An increase in the amount of scholarships sanctioned to Depressed Classes is noticeable in 1932-33, 1939-40 and 1940-41. Was this increase based on any special orders of Government passed in the matter or was it a result of any increase in the allotment made for scholarships in the usual course?

Mr. J. APPAJI GOWDA.—Forty-five scholarships had been allotted to students in the Sri Narasimharaja Hostel. The board charges of the students were being adjusted out of the scholarships. Subsequently, Government undertook to bear those charges so that a larger amount became available for giving scholarships. Secondly, the Central Adikarnataka Institute at Mysore was abolished and a portion of the savings was allotted for additional scholarships.

Supply of Electricity to Bagepalli Taluk.

Q.—35. **Mr. CHIKKAGANGA REDDY** (Bagepalli—Rural).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how the question of supplying electricity to Bagepalli Taluk is disposed of;

(*b*) in how many days will arrangements be made to supply electricity to this taluk ;

(*c*) the number of wells that are in need of electric power in Bagepalli Taluk?

A.—**The SECRETARY to GOVERNMENT, ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT (Mr. M. G. Mehkri).**—

(*a*) Is being considered by the Electrical Department.

(*b*) This cannot be definitely said in view of the difficulty of obtaining the required materials due to War.

(*c*) About 50.

Mr. K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Since how long is the question of supplying electricity to the taluk being considered by Government?

Mr. M. G. MEHKRI.—Notice.

Mr. K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—Is it due to costliness or non-availability of materials that the scheme has not been finally considered?

The MINISTER for REVENUE and FINANCE (Rajamantrapravina K. V. Anantaraman).—It is due to the non-availability of materials, which in turn was to due to the War.

Mr. K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—When the required materials were available, before the War, why was the question not definitely considered?

Mr. K. V. ANANTARAMAN.—Other more urgent works must have received priority of consideration.

Mr. K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY.—As soon as materials become available again, will the question be considered and electricity supplied?

Mr. K. V. ANANTARAMAN.—Yes, subject to the usual consideration of relative urgency.

Mr. Bhupalam R. CHANDRASEKHARAYYA.—Cannot the materials be manufactured locally?

Mr. M. G. MEHKRI.—It is not so easy.

Another MEMBER.—Should all the materials come from outside or only some of them?

Mr. M. G. MEHKRI.—The more important of them have to come from outside.

Supersessions in the Revenue Department.

Q.—45. **Mr. G. NANJUNDAPPA** (Nanjangud—Rural).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how many Revenue Probationers were taken for the past eight years ;

(*b*) how many have been directly appointed as Amildars ;

(*c*) how many were so taken from the Revenue and other departments ;